

THE 4th OF JULY

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CONTEST OFFERS CERTAIN REWARD

One Young Lady Secured One-Half Required Number of Subscribers in Six Days.

With the week's vacation trip within the grasp of all, many new candidates are taking advantage of the offer and are working to secure one of these fine trips. Candidates feel now that if they should for any reason fall short of the fair trip, they will receive some compensation for their trouble.

One young lady who entered the contest with the intention of going to the fair secured 15 yearly subscriptions within six days, besides promises of others. This goes to show, to those who feel that the time is too short, that two weeks are plenty to be the winner of a week's vacation at the fair, absolutely free. There is plenty of good territory still uncovered by any one where any candidate could go and within a few days' time secure one of these splendid trips.

To all who are timid in starting

there is this advice: Try it for a few days and see what success you meet with. If then you feel that you can't secure the trip, which is very easy if you go into the race determined to win, you have while trying received compensation for the trouble.

Assured Prizes.

To the contestant securing largest number of votes over all will be given a trip for herself and chaperon to one of the following places:

Yellowstone National park, Yosemite valley, or a trip to Alaska.

The Yellowstone trip is the same as has been offered, the winners going by Seattle, where they will have the privilege of stopping over if they so desire. They will be furnished with tickets to the A.-Y.-P. exposition and all attractions while there.

In the Alaska trip contestants will have the same stop-over privileges in Seattle. From there they will take the northbound boat and visit the following places: Victoria, B. C., Sitka, then on and stop at Valdez, around the peninsula, up into Cook's Inlet, then landing before starting on return journey.

A railroad trip has been provided for while at one of these stops. This tripp, going as far north as it does, gives one a pleasure and educational trip combined that cannot be equalled in any other trip possible.

Visits will be made to some of the

world's famous mining camps, whaling vessels will be seen, Alaska dog teams, and numerous other interesting sights too many to mention.

This trip will be of about three weeks' duration, and every expense is provided for from the time you step on the boat leaving Seattle until you return.

To the contestants securing 20 yearly subscriptions to The Medford Daily Tribune, or its equivalent, will be given transportation to and from the Seattle fair, tickets to fair and attractions, and \$10 in expense money.

To the contestants securing 15 yearly subscriptions, or its equivalent, will be given transportation to and from the fair, and tickets good for a week's admission to the fair and exhibits.

To the contestant securing 10 yearly subscriptions, or its equivalent, will be given \$10 in gold.

To the contestant securing 5 yearly subscriptions, or its equivalent, will be given \$5 in gold.

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Address all yearly subscriptions and communications to Manager Contest Department, Medford Daily Tribune, Medford, Oregon.

BUTTE FALLS ITEMS.

Zimmerman Bros. of Derby are logging on the townsite, clearing all the logs off and dumping them near the creek for mill purposes.

John Obenchain and family passed through town Monday on their way to their homestead. Mr. Obenchain makes final proof this week.

Charles Edmondson was in Medford as a witness for John Obenchain in his final proof.

J. P. Hughes, Scott Claspill, Jack Friedenborg, C. P. Briggs and M. C. Mahoney are all in the valley on business.

Mr. Wines of Medford is in town and will work with Surveyor Mills on the survey for the electric line which is to meet the P. F. R. R. at or near Derby.

Quite a number of strangers are in our town, but we have not learned their intentions.

Mr. Connelly, who has been quite sick with an ulcerated tooth, is now

better and able to attend to small jobs.

M. J. Emerick and his nephew, F. T. Emerick, with Dan Jones, visited Butte Falls from Medford, and journeyed on to Ranchoira on a camping tour. Mr. Emerick says Medford is booming and that all eyes are turned this way in view of the early completion of the P. & E. extension.

Quite a number of new hands are employed at the mill and work is progressing right along under Manager Reimecke.

Mr. Nalley of Dudley was trading with our merchants on Tuesday.

The annual school election was held on Monday and Scott Claspill was elected director and Ed Watson clerk.

A party of United States government surveyors are here and con-

ture is rife as to their particular intent.

Hubert Allen arrived on Wednesday and is now camping with the other Medford boys.

Fred Reimecke has gone to Medford on business.

Sunday night there was a large audience at the schoolhouse to hear the lecture of Judge Pentz. The townspeople desire that these lectures be made a feature, as they are very interesting and instructive.

Fishing parties have been quite successful this week, the catch being most excellent.

Mrs. Claspill gave a most delightful musical on Tuesday evening, which was largely attended and greatly enjoyed.

Mr. Young of Santa Cruz, Cal., was a visitor to Butte Falls Tuesday.

He was very much impressed with our town and surroundings.

Engineer Heidel and a party of government surveyors are here looking over the route for the Crater Lake boulevard and appears to think this route has many advantages over any other in the lessened grades, the shorter distance, the topography of the country and the scenic features and while he is non-committal yet he is very much pleased.

Married.

LEWIS-TEMPLE—In Grants Pass Wednesday morning, June 23, 1909, Oliver Lewis and Miss Fannie C. Temple, Rev. A. R. MacLean officiating.

Meet me at the Bungalow Thursday night.

Not Yet, But Soon

The glorious Fourth is very near and everything shall be ready to make this National celebration the finest in Medford's history.

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